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**Applicants:** Jason S. Fairbanks et al. **Docket No.:** 18645  
**Serial No.:** 10/831,144 **Group:** 1774  
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**For:** CRIMPED THERMOPLASTIC MULTICOMPONENT FIBER AND FIBER  
WEBS AND METHOD OF MAKING

**Petition for One-Month Extension of Time**

**Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

An Office Action which, on its face, granted a three (3) month period of time in which to respond thereto was mailed on December 02, 2004, with respect to the above-identified presently pending application. Accordingly, the shortened statutory period for response was set to end on March 02, 2005.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants hereby request a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Thus, the period of response is to be extended until Monday, April 04, 2005.

**Please charge the \$120.00 fee (fee code 1251) for this extension of time designated by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875. This extension request is submitted in duplicate.**

The undersigned may be reached at 770-587-8908.

**Respectfully submitted,**

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By: Trent Adams

**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION**

I, Robert A. Ambrose, hereby certify that on Monday, April 04, 2005 this Petition for One-Month Extension is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. (703) 872-9306.

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